or items intended to be used to fabricate an explosive or incendiary device, either openly or concealed, except for official purposes. (Weapons, see title 18. U.S. Code 930.)

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#### §101-20.314 Nondiscrimination.

There shall be no discrimination by segregation or otherwise against any person or persons because of race, creed, sex, color, or national origin in furnishing or by refusing to furnish to such person or persons the use of any facility of a public nature, including all services, privileges, accommodations, and activities provided thereby on the property.

### §101-20.315 Penalties and other laws.

Whoever shall be found guilty of violating any rule or regulations in this subpart 101-20.3 while on any property under the charge and control of the U.S. General Services Administration is subject to a fine of not more than \$50 or imprisonment of not more than 30 days, or both (See title 40 U.S. Code 318c.) Nothing in these rules and regulations shall be construed to abrogate any other Federal laws or regulations or any State and local laws and regulations applicable to any area in which the property is situated (section 205(c), 63 U.S. Statutes, 390; 40 U.S. Code 486(c)).

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# Subpart 101–20.4—Occasional Use of Public Buildings

#### §101-20.400 Scope of subpart.

Sections 101-20.401 through 101-20.408 establish rules and regulations for the occasional use of public areas for cultural, educational and recreational activities as provided by the Public Buildings Cooperative Use Act of 1976 (Pub. L. 94-541).

#### §101-20.401 Applications for permits.

(a) Any person or organization desiring to use a public area shall file an application for permit with the GSA Buildings Manager. Such application shall be made on a form provided by GSA and shall be submitted in the manner specified by GSA.

- (b) The following information is required:
- (1) Full names, mailing addresses, and telephone numbers of the applicant, the organization sponoring the proposed activity, and the individual(s) responsible for supervising the activity;
- (2) Documentation showing that the applicant has authority to represent the sponsoring organization;
- (3) A description of the proposed activity, including the dates and times during which it is to be conducted and the number of persons to be involved.
- (c) If the proposed activity constitutes a use of a public area for soliciting funds, the applicant shall also submit a signed statement that:
- (1) The applicant is a representative of and will be soliciting funds for the sole benefit of, a religion or religious group; or
- (2) The applicant's organization has received an official ruling of tax-exempt status from the Internal Revenue Service under 26 U.S.C. 501; or, alternatively, that an application for such a ruling is still in process.

#### §101-20.402 Permits.

- (a) A permit shall be issued by GSA within 10 working days following its receipt of the completed applications. A permit shall not be issued for a period of time in excess of 30 calendar days, unless specifically approved by the regional officer. After the expiration of a permit, a new permit may be issued upon submission of a new application; in such a case, applicants may incorporate by reference all required information filed with the prior application.
- (b) When more than one permit is requested for the same area and times, permits will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis.
- (c) All permits involving demonstrations and activities which may lead to civil disturbances should be coordinated with the Chief, Law Enforcement Branch, before approval.

## § 101-20.403 Disapproval of applications or cancellation of permits.

- (a) GSA shall disapprove any application or cancel an issued permit if:
- (1) The applicant has failed to submit all information required under